

motorized watercraft access only in that portion of the Wild and Scenic River that is the recognized "slack water" of the Owyhee Reservoir (approximately 4 miles upstream from the existing boundary). The amended closures or restrictions are the minimum necessary to protect and enhance ORVs and are consistent with the approved plan. Pursuant to 43 CFR 8351.2-1, the following acts are prohibited on all public lands within the boundaries at the Owyhee River component of the National Wild and Scenic River System administered by the Bureau of Land Management:

Violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$500 or imprisonment for not more than 6 months or both. (Title 16 U.S.C. 1281).

1. Fire.

a. Failure, on any float trip, to carry and use a firepan or similar device to contain campfires.

4. Boating.

a. Operation of any motor-driven (including electric motor-driven) watercraft upstream of T.26S., R.43E., section 29 NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Cathi Wilbanks, Bureau of Land Management, Vale District, 100 Oregon Street, Vale, OR 97918, (Telephone 541-473-3144).

Lynn P. Findley,

Assistant District Manager, Operations.

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National Park Service

**Public Use Statistics Program Center;
Notice of Request for Extension of a
Currently Approved Information
Collection**

AGENCY: DOI, National Park Service.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice announces the National Park Service (NPS) intention to request an extension for a currently approved information collection in support of the Public Use Statistics Program.

DATES: Comments on this notice must be received by April 14, 1997 to be assured of consideration.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR COMMENTS: Contact Albert A. Galipeau, Statistician or Sandra D. Valdez, Program Administrator, U.S. Department of

Interior, Park Operations and Education, National Park Service, Public Use Statistics Program Center, 12795 W. Alameda Parkway, Denver, CO, 80225-0287, (303) 987-6950.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Public Use Reporting.

OMB Number: 1024-0036.

Expiration Date of Approval: February 28, 1997.

Type of Request: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Abstract: The survey is used by NPS for the purpose of collecting public interview data which are used to determine conversion factors used in converting electro-mechanical visitor counts into recreation visits.

Estimate of Burden: Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 3 minutes per response.

Respondents: Individuals visiting parks.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 18,000.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: 7.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 900 hours.

Copies of this information collection can be obtained from Sandra D. Valdez, Program Administrator.

Send comments regarding the accuracy of the burden estimate, ways to minimize the burden, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, or any other aspect of this collection of information to:

Sandra D. Valdez, Program Administrator, U.S. Department of Interior, National Park Service, Park Operations and Education, Public Use Statistics Program Center, 12795 W. Alameda Parkway, Denver, CO, 80225-0287, (303) 987-6950.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: February 4, 1997.

Terry N. Tesar,

Information Collection Clearance Officer.

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**Notice of Intent To Issue a Prospectus
for Operation of Marina Facilities at
Lake Roosevelt National Recreation
Area**

SUMMARY: The National Park Service will be releasing a concession

prospectus authorizing continued operation of marina services, which includes seasonal moorage, rental of boats and houseboats, sale of marina supplies and general merchandise, limited grocery and camping supplies, and marina fuel and oil, for the public at Lake Roosevelt National Recreation Area for a period of ten years from May 1, 1997 through April 30, 2007.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The existing concessioner, Lake Roosevelt Vacations, Inc., has performed its obligations to the satisfaction of the Secretary under an existing permit which expires by limitation of time on December 31, 1997, and therefore pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of the Act of October 9, 1965 (79 Stat. 969 U.S.C. 20), is entitled to be given preference in the renewal and execution of a new contract providing that the existing concessioner submits a responsive offer (a timely offer which meets the terms and conditions of the Prospectus). This means that the contract will be awarded to the party submitting the best offer, provided that if the best offer was not submitted by the existing concessioner, then the existing concessioner will be afforded the opportunity to match the best offer. If the existing concessioner agrees to match the best offer, then the contract will be awarded to the existing concessioner.

If the existing concessioner does not submit a responsive offer, the right of preference in renewal shall be considered to have been waived, and the contract will then be awarded to the party that has submitted the best responsive offer.

The Secretary will consider and evaluate all proposals received as a result of this notice.

The cost for purchasing a prospectus is \$30.00. Parties interested in obtaining a copy should send a check payable to "National Park Service" to the following address: National Park Service, Office of Concession Program Management, Pacific Great Basin Support Office, 600 Harrison St., Suite 600, San Francisco, California 94107-1372. The front of the envelope should be marked "Attention: Office of Concession Program Management—Mail Room Do Not Open". Please include a mailing address indicating where to send the prospectus. Inquiries may be directed to Ms. Teresa Jackson, Secretary, Office of Concession Program Management at (415) 744-3981.